

Dr. Burgess Weekly Video Address April 29, 2016  
“2016 Emergency Preparedness Summit”

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Hello this is your Congressman, Michael Burgess.

North Texas is no stranger to severe weather and unpredictable emergency situations. That’s why it is critical that North Texans have a plan in place to protect themselves and their families during any type of disaster.

There is no shortage of support that comes from the county, from the state, from the federal government following an emergency event. However, it is our responsibility to take the steps to protect ourselves and our families during the event. And that takes preparation. That takes planning.

This was the purpose of the 8<sup>th</sup> annual Emergency Preparedness Summit and Fair that I hosted last weekend in Aubrey, Texas.

Emergency responders from across the 26<sup>th</sup> district joined over 500 North Texans to share best practices for being your own first responder.

I encourage you all to take some time to develop an emergency plan with your family.

With the recent severe storms and hail, we’ve all seen how weather can severely impact us in our area. Thankfully, there is a wealth of information out there on this topic and it’s my goal to make sure that North Texans are fully prepared with the tools and knowledge to combat any emergency situation.

More information and resources can be found on my website at [burgess.house.gov](http://burgess.house.gov).

As always, I appreciate your comments and questions on this issue or any other.

May God bless you and your family, and as the song says, God bless you Texas.